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10 OWEST CORPORATION,

Respondent.

Complainant,

DOCKET NO. T-01051B-05-0495 DOCKET NO. T-03693A-05-0495

PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Procedural Order dated October 30, 2009, the schedule in this matter was suspended pending potential action by the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals in a related Docket (Level 3 Communications LLC v. Owest Corporation T-01051B-05-0415, T-03654A-05-0415). On May 5, 2010, in that other docket, Level 3 Communications, LLC ("Level 3") filed a Notice of Final Order and Remand and a Motion for Procedural Conference. Level 3 states in its Motion that the Ninth Circuit demurred from addressing the substantive grounds of Level 3's appeal of Decision No. 68855 (July 28, 2005) and dismissed the case on the grounds that the District Court order was not a final, appealable order. Level 3 requests a Procedural Conference be scheduled jointly with the Pac West Telecomm, Inc. ("Pac West") matter to determine how to proceed.

The October 30, 2009, Procedural Order provided that any party to the proceeding could file a request for Procedural Order and/or Procedural Conference to establish procedures for the ultimate resolution of the issues.

On June 3, 2010, Pac West filed a Response in Support of Level 3's Procedural Recommendation, in which Pac West concurs with Level 3's suggestion for a joint Procedural Conference.

1 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that a **Procedural Conference** for the purpose of discussing how to proceed with the resolution of the remand of both the Level 3 and Pac West Orders shall 2 commence on July 8. 2010 at 10:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as is practical at the Commission's 3 4 Tucson offices, Room 222, 400 Wet Congress, Tucson, Arizona 85701. The parties may appear telephonically by contacting the Hearing Division at (602) 542-4250 and making arrangements 5 6 for a teleconference line. 7 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Officer may rescind, alter, amend, or waive 8 any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at hearing. Dated this Study of June, 2010 9 10 11 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE 12 Copies of the foregoing mailed/delivered 13 this Xtv day of June, 2010 to: 14 Janice Alward, Chief Counsel Norman Curtright Owest Corporation Legal Division 20 E. Thomas Road, 16th Floor 15 ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION 1200 West Washington Street Phoenix, AZ 85012 16 Phoenix, AZ 85007 Tom Dethlefs 17 1801 California Street, 10th Floor Steve Olea, Director **Utilities Division** Denver, CO 80202-2658 18 ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION 1200 West Washington Joan S. Burke 19 Phoenix, AZ 85007 Osborn Maledon, PA 2929 North Central Ave., 21st floor 20 ARIZONA REPORTING SERVICE, INC. Phoenix, Arizona 85012-2793 2200 North Central Avenue, Suite 502 Attorneys for Pac-West 2.1 Phoenix, Arizona 85004-1104 Michael W. Patten 22 Roshka DeWulf & Patten, PLC One East Van Buren Street, Suite 800 23 Phoenix, AZ 85004 Attorneys for Level 3 24 25 26

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¹ The Procedural Conference will be held concurrently with a Procedural Conference in Docket Nos. T-03654A-05-0415 and T-01051B-05-0415, and the parties should be prepared to discuss, *inter alia*, whether consolidation of the matters is in the public interest.